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Twentieth Senatorial Convention.  
The Republican senatorial convention of the Twentieth Senatorial district will be held at the arbitration room in the court house on Tuesday, the 25th day of Sept., at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for state senator.

JOHN L. LAZARUS, Chairman.  
H. M. BAKER, Secretary.

Second Legislative District.  
The Republican district will assemble in convention at the arbitration rooms in the court house, city of Scranton, on Tuesday, the 25th day of September, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the legislature.

W. S. MILLER, Chairman.  
A. J. KOLA, Secretary.

Fourth Legislative District.  
The Republicans of the Fourth Legislative district will assemble in convention in the McKimley Club room, Odd Fellows' building, Scranton, on Tuesday, the 25th day of September, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the legislature.

Election for delegates to this convention will be held at the regular polling places on Saturday, Sept. 22, between the hours of 4 and 7 p. m. Each election district will be entitled to the same representation as the late county convention.

WILLIAM J. SCHUMMEHL, Chairman.  
S. S. JONES, Secretary.

## CITY NOTES.

Gentlemen's Driving Club races Thursday, 2 p. m.  
The training school opened yesterday with thirty-five pupils.  
Trains 301 and 302 of the Ontario and Western will hereafter run only to Carbondale.

The sale of seats for Powell, the magician, opens at the Academy of Music box office this morning at 10 o'clock.

J. Muller's dancing class will open Friday evening with a social in Excelsior hall, Wyoming avenue.

Court yesterday ordered that the grand jury now in session be continued for the present week unless otherwise relieved from duty.

John O'Donnell, of Forest court, was held under \$500 bail yesterday for his appearance at court on a charge of ill-treating his wife.

The coal and real estate departments of the Delaware and Hudson company were yesterday transferred to the new Lackawanna avenue depot.

The joint public building committee of councils will meet tomorrow evening for the election of officers today at 8 p. m. All superintendents and officers are requested to be present to give their reports.

John Hatchford, of this city, and Maria

## THE ELMHURST DAMS

They Are Ponderous Bodies of Pure Clear Water.

### CITY'S WATER SUPPLY VISITED

Typhoid Fever Has Disappeared from Elmhurst—Splendid Reservoir at Williams' Bridge, Which Feeds the High Service Dam Preparations Being Made by the Scranton Gas and Water Company to Build an Immense Dam.

Yesterday was spent by the board of health, sanitary committee of councils and newspaper representatives on a visit of inspection to the dams and streams of the Scranton Gas and Water company. Superintendent Robert Reeves was along, as was Superintendent John B. Fish, of the Providence Gas and Water company.

The high service reservoir at the head of No. 6 place, above Dunmore, was first visited. This reservoir consists of a double dam and holds 3,000,000 gallons of water. It is fed from the Stafford Meadow brook and supplies only the high points in the city, in the neighborhood of Clay avenue and Gammon's hill on the West Side.

No. 1 dam at Elmhurst, which is the main reservoir of the city, receives the overflow from the dam a mile above. The upper one receives the water from the Keesing brook stream, but at present the water is not used. It is fermenting and not until it settles will the gates be opened. The upper dam, or Curtis reservoir, was looked over four years ago with 60,000 California trout, thus insuring an agreeable absence of animal matter, which serves as food to the piscatorial dwellers. Along the stream above the dams there are no causes from which might arise a contamination of the water.

THAT ELMHURST TANNERY.

Below No. 1 dam on the main stream in Elmhurst stands a tannery, which was operated years before the reservoir was built. This is the only objectionable feature along the property of the water company.

It is a case of difference of opinion whether the tannery need be dreaded. The waste water when it leaves the mill runs through a lime filter, empties into a trench and flows a half mile through soft purifying soil before emptying into the stream. And then this waste water is but the escape from the supply which feeds the engines. The nauseating refuse common to all tanneries is confined in a cement-lined cavity with no means of access to the stream, and is hauled away or sold to farmers for fertilizing purposes. Superintendent Reeves explained that the Gas and Water company had unsuccessfully endeavored to purchase the tannery and have it removed, not because it befouls the water, but to satisfy the people.

While a lunch, furnished by Superintendent Reeves, was being enjoyed, a pleasant visit was had from Dr. Bateson, health officer of the Elmhurst board of health. He conveyed the cheering tidings that the typhoid epidemic in that village was a matter of past history.

Leaving Elmhurst, the heads of the horses were turned toward Stafford Meadow valley, five miles away. After this long journey through the autumnal wilds, around a bend in the road the sight spread out for the party's gaze was the splendid new reservoir at Williams' bridge. The stream which feeds the dam flows from its source, between mountains and over a rocky bed, as pure as when the Indians roamed in the forest, and it empties almost as pure as the rain from the clouds. This is the dam from which the high service reservoir at No. 6 is fed. It is the purest water that is furnished to the city. Down in the deep basin in front of the reservoir bubbles up a pure spring, the water of which is impregnated with a healthful taste of iron ore, and to this Superintendent Reeves brought the members of the party to quaff from it and form an idea of the quality of the water in the reservoir, which is the source of the city's supply.

Leaving this body of water the party halted at the place known as "The Burned Bridge," a half mile below.

A STUPENDOUS UNDERTAKING.

At this point Superintendent Reeves brought the carriages to a standstill and explained the purpose of the Gas and Water company, relative to the proposed new reservoir.

A natural basin covering 180 acres, better known as the old Hitchcock swamp, will be made the basis of a new reservoir, the capacity of which will be nearly 2,000,000,000 gallons of water. It is thirty feet lower than the Williams' bridge reservoir, on the same stream, and is seventy feet above the high service reservoir. The work of building it will probably begin in January and be finished in September. A tunnel 1,800 feet long will be bored through the mountain to connect the main with the high service dam, and this supply will be furnished to all parts of the city.

This territory adjoins the Dugan farm over which so much litigation has sprung. The land is now being cleared and drained. When the reservoir is built it will cover up the road-way, but the water company intends to build a stone arch over the spillway and construct another road around the banks of the dam.

The No. 5 reservoir on the Stafford Meadow creek was not visited, because of the impending darkness. A trip will be made to it in a week or so. With that exception the annual tour of the board of health is finished. The expense of the trip is a hundred fold repaid to the taxpayers from the benefit in pure water derived.

Captain Burke and Food Inspector Thomas also accompanied the trip to the Elmhurst water for analysis.

### RUIN THE CHURCH.

John Murphy Threatened to Use Dynamite Yesterday.

John Murphy, of Saratoga, threatened to blow up the fine Elm Park church with dynamite yesterday and as he frightened several ladies who were attending a funeral service at the church he was locked up on a charge of drunkenness.

No dynamite was found on Mr. Murphy, but on the contrary, he was in the cell he commenced praying and attempted to sing various songs.

Murphy appears to be slightly demented, but in his present state is not a fit person to be at large.

### LOYD STREET AGAIN.

Several of its Residents Engaged in Legal Tussles.

Three cases from Lloyd street were under investigation yesterday, all arising from the conduct of two sisters.

Mary and Bridget Barrett, both under 16 years of age, and who it is alleged were abducted by Frank Jordan, a married man.

The girls when they heard that warrants were issued for their arrest, gave themselves up to Chief Simmons, who was instrumental in placing them in the Florence Mission. They then applied to Alderman Bailey for protection against their mother. The mother, Mrs. Brumage, was yesterday morning bound to keep the peace.

Thereupon the second case came on for hearing before Alderman De Lacy, in which Jordan cleared himself from the charge of abduction.

In the application of the mother that the two girls should be sent to an institution, Alderman DeLacy decided to postpone his decision.

### KEENE AS RICHELIEU.

Strong Performance Given on the Academy of Music Stage.

A distinguished audience at the Academy last evening witnessed, enjoyed and applauded the strong acting of Mr. Keene, the tragedian, in Lord Lytton's masterpiece, "Richelieu."

Mr. Keene is almost the one actor of time-honored heroic dramas left to us; and while he may at times exhibit traces of the old robustness once in favorite vogue in tragedy, it is but just to say that the intellectual quality of his Richelieu has become mellow and ripe with long study and large experience.

Barring possibly a proneness for gutturals, in which we yet hear the outcropping of earlier stage custom, his impersonation of the cardinal prince was honestly and cleanly achieved. There was in it at every point the touch of the careful student and the polish of an art which, despite much knocking about, has yet remained true to high ideals. In the swift succession of climaxes leading up to that fiery cyclonic moment where Richelieu, in his extremity of anguish, wounds pride and insulted affection, draws about his ward the sacred circle of the church, Mr. Keene rose to the full height of critical demand and stood before us, not as actor merely, but as the part itself.

### CARBONDALE TRACTION CO. DEBT.

Suit to Compel Payment of a Promissory Note.

Henry R. Lewis & Co., of Carbondale, yesterday began an action in assumpsit against the Carbondale Traction company to obtain payment of a promissory note amounting to \$1,903.32.

The note was given on June 21, 1894, and was not honored when presented at the Minors and Mechanics' Bank of Carbondale on Aug. 21.

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## SOME NEW INDUSTRIES

Board of Trade Has a Very Lengthy Session.

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Committee Reports Favorably on a Carpet Factory, and on Tin Can and Cash Register Manufactories—Consolidation Favored—New York, Ontario and Western Company Will Pay More Attention to Butter Transportation—Dues Must Be Paid.

The board of trade held a lengthy meeting last night. The report of the manufacturer's committee is herewith presented.

The location in Scranton of a plant for the manufacture of tapestry carpets we believe would be a paying investment and for the purpose of bringing the matter intelligently before you, we have asked the gentleman who is at present largely interested in the carpet business and thoroughly conversant with all of the details connected with it to speak to us on this subject this evening.

The Eureka Cash and Credit Register company, of Elmira, N. Y., have made the following proposition to us, viz.: In a stock company to be formed in Scranton, capitalized at \$150,000, they will put in their entire interest in the register and printing business, which includes, patents, machinery, stock on hand, agents' outfits, good will, etc., for \$75,000 and take pay in stock of the company. The concern known as the Scranton Carpet Manufacturing company are to put in their entire plant, including ground, buildings, machinery, etc., for \$150,000. There is to be left in the treasury \$50,000 of the stock which the Elmira people have the option to buy at par within two years. Forty thousand dollars of the stock is to be sold for working capital. We have looked into this matter carefully, we consider the invention a practical and useful one and should be in every store doing a credit business. The proposition we consider a fair one and therefore properly managed a handsome profit can be realized. We therefore recommend it to capitalists.

### WILL SOLICIT SUBSCRIPTIONS.

The representative of the carpet factory arrived late at the meeting from New York and took the floor to explain his industry. The plan is to put up a plant furnished with forty looms to start with. The gentleman has studied the carpet market and the new tariff, and believes that carpet can be manufactured so cheaply as to guarantee a profit. The building will be 150x50 and three stories high. It will cost \$25,000 to build it. The capital stock is \$150,000, of which he will subscribe \$35,000 himself. He gave facts and figures and was substantiated by S. G. Kerr. Girls employed in the factory will receive wages averaging \$7 a week. The chair will appoint a committee at the next meeting to solicit stock subscriptions.

Mr. Dickson, of the building committee, reported gratifying progress. He said that subscriptions amounting to half the total sum have already been secured. He precipitated a spicy discussion by a motion that the board invest its treasury balance of \$700 through its trustees in shares in the new building. Secretary Attorio said that there is yet to be paid on the last assessment \$1,100, and for back dues the delinquent list aggregates \$1,200.

Mr. Connell wanted to see \$1,000 in the treasury before investing that amount. He said that he had no idea the board was ready to go into the building project until the structure had been completed. Several others opposed Mr. Dickson's idea and he finally withdrew his motion.

### AFTER MEMBERS IN ARREARS.

The motion of Mr. Keller was carried, amended by Mr. Connell, instructing the secretary to notify all members in arrears for nine months' dues to settle up before the next meeting, otherwise the accounts will be collected through the attorney.

The South Side board of trade sent a communication bearing on the consolidation of all the boards of the city. It was as strongly opposed, and was referred to a committee: Messrs. Lansing, Faine and Torrey.

A letter from E. F. Wilberford, district freight agent of the New York, Ontario and Western, referring to the complaints of Scranton merchants regarding delay to shipments of butter coming from the Delhi branch, stated that the company will hereafter furnish separate cars on Monday and Thursday of each week, and that they will be forwarded in through freight.

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